CIVIC LIFE TODAY

The State of Global Civic Engagement

Deep Dive On

OF LIGHT

SEXUAL ORIENTATION & GENDER IDENTITY RIGHTS

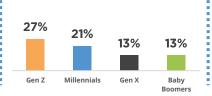
DEMOGRAPHIC BREAK DOWN



18%

Of people are concerned about sexual orientation & gender identity rights when compared to other issues







Of MEN said sexual orientation & gender identity rights are one of their top areas of concern

Of **WOMEN** said sexual orientation & gender identity rights are one of their top areas of concern

WHY PEOPLE ARE TAKING ACTION



I saw something on social media that informed me (32%) I believe the actions of one person can go a long way in making a difference (32%)



My actions have inspired many other people to act (26%)

*those identifying as non-binary or other <0%

HOW PEOPLE ARE TAKING ACTION



<u>Points of Light's Civic Circle</u>[®] represents a person's power to lead, lend support and take action for causes they care about, and to lead a civic life. People can engage through one or several elements of the Civic Circle[®].

TOP ACTIONS TAKEN

Took time to learn about the cause or social issue (LISTEN & LEARN)

Posted or shared content on social media platform (VOICE)

Intentionally helped someone else (VOLUNTEER) 77%

75%

MOST INFLUENTIAL ACTIONS

Posted or shared content on social media platform (VOICE)

82%

Volunteered with a cause or organization – in-person or online (VOLUNTEER)

81%

Participated in marches or rallies (VOICE)

79%

DATA TO INSIGHTS

In the U.S., we are only 7 years post-legalization of marriage equality through *Obergefell v. Hodges*. Though activists have been paving the way for LGBTQ equality for decades, integration in mainstream society has only happened recently.

As a result, concern for this issue area skews toward younger generations who have largely grown up with an expectation for equality and display a greater comfort in navigating issues of sexual orientation & gender identity rights.

IN THE NEXT 30 DAYS, PEOPLE ARE MOST LIKELY TO:







63%

61%